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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7872

BILL NUMBER: SB 404

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 14, 2003

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Mathematics and Science Teachers.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Kenley

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: This bill authorizes the governing body of a school corporation to pay an annual bonus of up to \$10,000 to a teacher who teaches certain secondary mathematics and science courses. It provides that the bonus is not subject to teacher collective bargaining provisions.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: The bill allows a school corporation to pay up to a \$10,000 bonus for a teacher teaching the following eligible courses:

(1) Mathematics:

- (A) Algebra I and II.
- (B) Geometry.
- (C) Investigative geometry.
- (D) Trigonometry.
- (E) Precalculus.
- (F) Calculus.
- (G) Probability and statistics.
- (H) Data analysis and probability.
- (I) Discrete mathematics.
- (J) Advanced placement or college credit mathematics.

(2) Science:

(A) In integrated sciences: environmental science, advanced environmental science, and advanced placement or college credit environmental science.

(B) In biological sciences: biology, second year biology, and advanced placement or college credit biology.

(C) In earth and space sciences: earth and space science, second year earth and space science, and advanced placement or college credit earth and space science.

(D) In physical sciences: chemistry, second year chemistry, and advanced placement or college credit chemistry.

(E) In physics: physics, second year physics, and advanced placement or college credit physics.

(F) In other physical sciences: physical science, integrated chemistry and physics, and principles of flight and space travel.

The number of teachers based on a full time equivalent (FTE) basis teaching the above courses for the 2001-02 school years was about 2,418. The impact would depend on local school action. The bonus of up to \$10,000 would be paid from existing school revenue sources.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Local School Corporations.

Information Sources: Department of Education Databases.

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